

Thaw out your tools, and let's build some snow furniture!

This free competition takes place in the East Gardens of Churchill Square on January 28 from 11am to 4pm. A maximum of 8 teams of 2-3 people will compete to create snow furniture. Each team will be provided 4 blocks of snow, sized at 0.5 cubic meters. Bring your own hand tools and water!

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Rules and Regulations

Teams

Teams must consist of no more than 3 people.
All team members must be 18 years of age or older.
All team members must be present and have signed waivers before any building can begin.

Teams are responsible for knowledge of the rules and regulations. Choosing not to follow the rules and regulations can lead to disqualification.

Safety

Safety glasses are not mandatory, but they are recommended.
Keep hands warm and dry by using insulated rubber gloves under gloves or mittens, or even plastic bags worn over mittens.
Extra mittens and chemical hand warmers are highly recommended.

Tools and Materials

Teams are responsible for providing their own tools and water.
Only hand tools are allowed.
No power (gas, electric, or battery operated) tools are allowed.
All tools used are at the risk of the user. Each team assumes liability and risk for the use of their tools.

Water may be used to construct, repair, and/or reinforce, however, all water used must be provided by the team.
Use of chemical freezing agents and colourants are not allowed.

Judging

Members of the design community will be brought in to judge the event.

Teams will be judged on:

Originality and creativity /12
Quality and physical appearance /14
Use of snow as a medium /10
Degree of difficulty /10
Usability of final piece /4

Bad Weather

In case of extreme weather the event will be called off.

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Schedule (Jan 28, East Gardens)

<i>Set-up</i>	10:30am
<i>Sign-in</i>	11:00am
<i>Start time</i>	11:30am
<i>Break 1</i>	1:00pm
<i>Break 2</i>	2:30pm
<i>End Time</i>	4:00pm
<i>Judging</i>	4:00pm

Winners will be announced on Sunday
January 29th in the Community Pavilion.

Suggested Tools

Buckets or empty ice cream pails, spray bottles, water

Step ladder or stool

Shovel

Small broom

Saws

Small gardening tools

Hand chisels, kitchen utensils, or other tools for adding detail

Putty knives, wallpapering tools, or other smoothing or sanding tools

Wire brushes or other texturing tools

Clamps or other fastening tools for repairing or attaching pieces

Replacement gloves and chemical hand warmers

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Registration

To register please send the following information to M.A.D.E. in Edmonton Board Member Veronica Krawcewicz before January 27th, or bring a completed version of this form to the Snow Competition.

Registering early is recommended.

Veronica can be reached by sending an e-mail to **veronicak@shaw.ca**

Teams that do not arrive before the competition commences will lose their reserved spot.

Team Leader

First Name & Last Name _____

Preferred method of contact* _____

Contact information _____

*Only winning teams will be contacted. Competition results will be displayed on the M.A.D.E. in Edmonton website at **madeinedmonton.org**

Team Member #2

First Name & Last Initial _____

Team Member #3 (optional)

First Name & Last Initial _____

